



FW: Grand Lake violations to wetlands

John Swartz

to:

Monica Heimdal

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From: John Swartz [REDACTED]

To: Monica Heimdal/R8/USEPA/US@EPA,

Monica, We would like to be kept informed on the East inlet investigation. Sincerely John Swartz

From: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: Fw: Grand Lake violations to wetlands

Date: Fri, 11 May 2012 15:33:26 -0600

This did not go through to Monica. Maybe you can resend it.

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From: ARTHUR F SHENKIN

To: [REDACTED]

Sent: Friday, May 11, 2012 3:09 PM

Subject: Fw: Grand Lake violations to wetlands

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From: ARTHUR F SHENKIN

To: heimdel.monica@epamail.epa.gov

Sent: Friday, May 11, 2012 2:52 PM

Subject: Grand Lake violations to wetlands

Dear Ms. Heimdel,

Mr. John Swartz gave me your e-mail and I would like to add my complaint to the violations our neighbors, Jim and Kay Bianco have done to the wetlands over the years, especially in the last 2 years.

There is a beautiful beaver pond on the property we own behind our cabin and boathouse which they have considerably drained. They have dug irrigation ditches from this pond to the lake, taking off much of the water. They have also drained the wetlands area all through this property so they could make a very broad road although they only have a walking easement over this land. We did take this to court, but finally had to drop the lawsuit because it was getting too expensive for us to pursue.

They have also damned up part of the East Inlet which leads to the lake to add some land to theirs on the South side of the inlet. This, I'm sure, has interfered with the beavers and fish in this inlet. These people believe in doing whatever they please no matter what or whom it affects and it seems impossible for us as individuals to stop them. We hope you will be able to do so.

Sincerely,

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Shenkin